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### INTERESTING LETTER FROM ED GENTRY

Paris, France.  
Mr. James Maret,  
Mt. Vernon, Ky.

My Dear Mr. Maret:—

In my last letter to Edgar I promised him to write about the reception of the President in Paris, if I reached here in time to see it, but I have been wanting to write you for so long and have neglected it so long that I decided I would write you and you can turn this letter over to him after reading it. I have neglected my promise to Albright any way, but the fact is that the reception of Kings and Presidents in Paris has been so frequent in the last month that I have been surprised at how the people have turned out. I have been fortunate enough to be present at them all except that of King Albert of Belgium, or

rather to be explicit and use the real title, "King of the Belgians". In order to be present on the arrival of President Wilson, I had to leave Dijon at 2 o'clock in the morning. Nearly everybody else must have been going also, as when I got to that train it was so crowded that it looked impossible to get on it. If you know how a first class French coach is built, the compartments were full and the aisles, which are filled like sardines in a box, standing, but another Y man and I had made up our mind to go to Paris on that train. Finally two American soldiers looking out a window said that we might squeeze in the aisle beside them, if we could manage to get to them which was about the middle of the coach. We handed our baggage in the window and then tried to get in but it was impossible. The aisle was packed at both ends right against the doors with people, who could not have opened the doors if they

had wanted to and were not very much inclined to do so any way and I did not blame them. We went back to the window and the soldiers suggested we try that, but there was an iron bar square across the middle of it and not a large window besides. The man with me was a long lanky fellow from Spartanburg, S. C., and I felt that if he could get through with his surplus length, I could make it with my surplus thickness so I persuaded him to try. With my help on the outside and the soldiers on the inside, we managed to get him in, to the great amusement of a great crowd of French soldiers both in and out of the coach. This left me in rather bad shape for there was no one to boost me up to the window, but when I started a Frenchman came to my assistance and they dragged me in. We stood or sat on each other all the way, but I want to give credit to that train. It was the fastest one I have ever seen in France. It made that two hundred miles in less than four hours, which is not bad time, getting started late and putting us into Paris before eight o'clock. The President was to arrive at ten so we hustled to a hotel and thence to the Place de la Concorde. It was then little after nine o'clock, but the place was crowded and people pouring in from every direction. Across the Concorde bridge down the left bank of the Seine back across the Alexander III bridge and as far as you could see up the Champs-Elysee toward the Arch of Triumph the parks, sidewalks and houses were black with people and only kept out of the street by the French soldiers who lined the street on both sides for the whole distance of four miles. My friend and I perched ourselves high on a captured German cannon and began our wait. Just past ten o'clock the first of the big gun salute of twenty one shots shook the air announcing the arrival of the party at the station and with the shot went up a shout from the

crowd which must have been heard for miles. The guns continued to roar at regular intervals but it must have been almost a half an hour before the advance guard of the party appeared before a detachment of the famous Cuirassiers (Don't think that is spelled right), splendidly mounted with all the magnificent trapping which you have read about, their helmets glistening in the sun no less than the flowing black plumes which fell from the top of their helmets down the back of their necks. It was a sight to bring back the days of Napoleon's famous French cavalry so admired in history. Following them came the personal body guard of the President in closed automobiles and then the two Presidents of the greatest republics on earth in a modest carriage drawn by the same fine span of blacks which I had seen at the 4th of July celebration; which I had seen draw the King of England and President Poincare on Thanksgiving day and which I afterwards on Dec. 19th saw draw the King of Italy and President Poincare on that Kings visit to Paris. I have wondered just how much money it would take to buy that pair of horses. Following the Presidents' carriage came one with Mrs. Wilson, Madame Poincare, Miss Wilson and others, which was followed by still others containing French notables from M. Clemenceau on

down, the last official carriage containing some French Generals and our own "Black Jack" Pershing, looking for all the world as innocent and modest as a school boy, not a sign except the roar of the "doughboys" as he passed to indicate that he had just led to victory the greatest army our great nation has ever produced. I am persuaded from the smile on his face that he was enjoying himself immensely. Of course the crowd went wild when the President and party went by. You could hear expressions everywhere of "Grande President Wilson (Great President Wilson), Madam Wilson Tres joli (Very Pretty)". A very amusing thing was a movie operator on top of a limousine following the party getting a picture of the whole proceeding. I also saw a movie man perched high on one of the window sills of the American Peace Commission headquarters and he must have gotten a splendid picture of the whole parade across the Place de la Concorde. On Monday I ran into the President's parade twice, accidentally. Parades in Paris have been so frequent of late that you are always bumping into them. The fact is that for the past month all you needed to start a parade was a snare drum and flute, the Tri-color, Union Jack and "Old Glory", and you never fail to get a crowd, even though your crowd really had no idea what the parade about lots of times.

The celebration in honor of the President kept up from Saturday morning until Monday night, snatching American hats and caps being a prominent feature of the celebration. At first I thought it was only a joke, and when a Mademoiselle snatched my over seas cap and ran, I stood round for a while, expecting her to bring it back, but I soon learned they were keeping them for souvenirs. I saw many officers and men, from Majors on down going in that night bare headed, and not in too good a humor. I also saw the entrance into the city of the King of Italy on Dec. 19th. You will not be so much interested in that, although they turned out and gave him a royal welcome.

Perhaps you will wonder what I am doing in Paris so much. I spent a part of my vacation in Paris the last week in November. Two weeks later I was notified to report in Paris for service in Germany. I have been here for more than ten days getting clearance orders, being completely re-equipped for four months ser-

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**W. F. BAKER**

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vice with the army of occupation, and incidentally spending Christmas in what has been termed recently the political capital of the world. I went down yesterday afternoon to see the annual Christmas swimming race across the Seine which the French have made an event for many years. This year it was open to any one connected with any of the allied armies, both men and women. There were fifteen men and two women took the plunge into the almost icy water of the river for the more than a quarter of a mile swim, including four American soldiers, two of which came out fourth and fifth in the race, while the first three places were won by French soldiers. The French swimmers really had the advantage as they had swam the river there before and knew how to take the current. One of the women was a dispatch rider and the other an ambulance driver for the French Government. I have never so longed to be at home as in these last few days during Christmas.

I am leaving tonight for Coblenz where I am to report for work. I do not know whether I will be located there, but will be somewhere in that region along the Rhine. I will go by way of Chateau-Thierry, Chalons, Toul, Epervan, Nancy, Metz and Treves and will likely reach Coblenz sometime tomorrow night. I will give you my impression of Germany soon. Mrs. Gentry writes me that you have been enjoying your car to the limits this summer instead of doing your work on foot. I hope to be home sometime during the summer. My address will be the same as while in France, 12 Rue d'Aguesseau, Paris.

Your friend,  
E. R. GENTRY.

### BRODHEAD

H. T. Young, of Mt. Vernon, sold the old residence part of the J. E. Woodyard property to R. H. Hamm, for seventeen hundred dollars. Mr. Hamm gets the residence, a small garden and a lot lying back of it. This property sold a few years ago, including the entire farm and a small cottage for \$2,000. Mr. Hamm will tear down the old residence and have a nice modern brick put in its place just to his liking. The work will begin with the coming of early spring — Mrs. Smith Adams, mother of Fin Adams, of near here, and Miss Mary Adams, of Crab Orchard, was badly burned last Saturday, when her clothing caught fire from the stove.

Mrs. Adams is very old and on account of the great excitement, the severity of her burns and her weakened condition, her recovery is very doubtful. — Mr. and Mrs. Baker, of Laurel, spent several days last week with her parents, Eld. and Mrs. L. N. Bowling. — Henry Price, of Bridgeport, Ind., was here the first of the week the guest of Mrs. John Riddle and family. — Mrs. Beaty, of Science Hill, and her daughter, Miss Bettie, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. John Riddle, over Sunday. — Miss Mary Adams, of Crab Orchard, is with her mother, Miss Smith Adams, who was burned last Saturday. — Mrs. Bert Owens died at her home near Mareburg, Tuesday morning, with pneumonia, and her remains were buried here Wednesday afternoon in the Baptist church cemetery, after short services by the Rev. A. J. Pike. Besides her husband, she is survived by a large family of children, several sisters, one brother and a father-in-law, Chas. and D. B. Chandler sold a farm of about 100 acres, recently purchased from Morgan Helton, and known as the Cyrene Lawrence farm, to Robert Lee Wilson, of Virginia, for \$2,000. — Mrs. Doug Roberts, of Junction City, was here this week the guest of Mrs. J. R. Cass and other relatives. — W. P. Rigsby bought a farm from John A. Osborne the first of the week. This farm contains about 100 acres and is a part of the old Isaac Grabeel farm. — Mrs. J. D. Pike, and little Miss Frankie and

Sprinkle, were here from Lebanon Junction, the first of the week with her father, F. Francisco. — Mrs. S. E. Chandler was in Mt. Vernon, Tuesday, between trains. — Dr. E. J. Brown, of Stanford, was here Tuesday to see C. H. Frith in consultation with Dr. W. F. Carter. Mr. Frith has a severe case of rheumatism and don't seem to get any better. His condition is rather critical. — H. T. Young, of Mt. Vernon, and his brother, Jas. L. Young, of Cincinnati, were in town Wednesday. — O. V. Jarrett sold his residence property on East Main street to W. G. Ballard this week for \$700. — Mrs. John Robins, and her sister, Miss Clyde Watson, are in Pineville for a few days.

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Fail to satisfy them, and no arrangement that you can make either will set up or steady the peace of the world. Our boys came into this war not merely to win a war, but as crusaders to win a cause and I am responsible to them for it falls to me to formulate the purpose for which I asked them to fight. It was not Woodrow Wilson as Chief Executive of the United States who thus spoke, who with these and many other flaming words sent into death the world's structure of the past and laid upon its ruins the corner stone of a new age. It was Wilson the rebel against all that is dark and foul and sinister in the affairs of mankind; Wilson the liberator, fired by his own and his country's ideals; the crusader, the inspiring and inspired spokesman of the American people, not as their master but as their servant. He whose eloquence smashed to smithereens any oppositions that had remained to the plan of the league of nations and the conference, acting upon his speech, wrote what will be known as the birth certificate of the league of nations.

Hey, John, where are you going?

To the Mount Vernon Court House.

When?

Monday, February third.

Where are you going, Sam?

Same place, John, same place.

What are you going for, John?

For the same reason you are going Sam.

What is that?

Why to do my duty as a father, neighbor and good citizen.

Well, what are they going to do on that day at the Court House?

Why all good citizens who want whiskey and the boot leggers driven out of Rockcastle are going to have a mass meeting next Monday, headed by Judge B. J. Botham, Hon. Walter Flippin, Judge Mullins and a host of others and there plan to rigidly enforce the law against the sale and traffic of intoxicating liquors.

Good, glad to hear it, and I will be there to help them in every way.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ROADS.

Frankfort, Kentucky.

January 27, 1919

Dear Sir:—

It has come to my attention that some of the members of the various Fiscal Courts throughout the State fail to understand that the State Road Department has nothing to do with the funds derived from the 20c Road Tax.

The law states that the revenue must be expended by the Fiscal Court on the roads and bridges in the county. This department has realized for sometime past the county officials did not have sufficient money to work their roads and we have been endeavoring to call this to their attention and have them authorize the election, and to assist them as much as possible in placing the matter before the public so it will carry.

This office is interested in all roads in any county. If a Fiscal Court desires it can, before authorizing the election, pass an order to the effect that all revenue

collected by the 20c Road Tax in any one magistrical will be expended on the roads in that district.

I believe that if it were made clear to the people that every cent paid in because of the extra 20c tax would be expended on roads in their own magistrical district, that the proposition would carry by a large majority.

I think it mighty important however, that the election called immediately and voted within the next thirty or six days, because at that time roads will be bad and the people can better see the needs for more money.

Therefore, I am urgently requesting that a special meeting of the Fiscal Court be called so that the election be authorized.

Very truly,  
K. Wiley,  
Commissioner

### Clarence Rickels Writes From Germany

Dec. 29, 1918.

Dear mother and all:—

I guess you think I have forgotten you entirely, but I haven't. This is about the first time I have had a chance for a long time and it has been five months since I have had any mail from you. It was all sent to the hospital and has never returned. I don't know whether I will ever get it or not. I got a letter from Charlie L. a few days ago. He said he was well. We have been walking some for the last two months. We came through France and Belgium, Luxembourg, and now we are going through Germany. We are in a pretty nice country now. The old people are treating us good. They are sure glad the war is over. Of course I am too. We are now camping on the Rhine river. We are about twenty miles from Coblenz and Cologne, two large German cities. Remember we did not ride, we walked all the way, with about seventy pounds on our backs. The old Rainbow Division certainly have been around some. We first started on the Lorraine front and spent six months in trenches. Then we were called upon the Champagne front. Then we got our real open fights. We stopped the Germans there and we were called upon at Chateau-Thierry where the great American offensive started and I was in four days hard fighting there; I got wounded and was sent to the hospital where I stayed two months and came back to my company. We are longing for the day to come when the old famous Rainbow Division will get orders to start for the port to load on. I don't think that day is long off. Well, mother, this is all for this time. Tell papa to write to me. Give all my love. It won't be long until I will be at home. Good by, love to all.

Your son,  
Private Clarence Rickels,  
106 U. S. Inf.

### MARETBURG

Miss Lela McCall has returned from a four months stay in Kansas. Rouse Wilcott is improving slowly. Miss Liza Vance, of this place and Mr. Archie Covington, of Laurel County were married last Saturday. Charlie Philbeck sold his farm to Will Sams for \$1000. He is moving to Mt. Vernon to make his home with his father in law, Dick Cummings. Wick Thompson's family all have flu. Miss Roxie Thompson was called home on the account of the serious illness of her father's family. Miss Martha Wallen accompanied her. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Middleton visited in Mt. Vernon Sunday. Mrs. Bern Owens died at her home at this place early Tuesday morning of pneumonia. She leaves a husband and several small children to mourn her death. Wade Hunt is discharged from the service and is now at home. Sherman Owens is at home on a ten day furlough. Mrs. K. J. McKimney was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Marsh Owens Sunday. Logan McCall and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Gove Frith were with their mother, Mrs. Lucy McCall last Sunday.

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We are having some fine weather now and the farmers are getting busy preparing for their 1919 crops.—Mrs. Mary Osborne is with her daughter, Mrs. K. Thompson who is very sick.—Mr. and Mrs. Will Shuts spent Saturday and Sunday with her brother, Bennett Brown.—Hobart Goffe, who is attending school at Berea, was with home-folks Saturday and Sunday.—Miss Grace Thompson spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Marion Smith near Crab Orchard.—Mr. and Mrs. Booker Mullins, of Walnut Grove, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Owens Sunday.—Miss Georgia Gentry is with her grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Brown at Level Green.—Charlie DeBord has moved his family into the house recently vacated by J. L. Reynolds.—Mrs. M. F. Craig has returned from a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Craig and nephew, J. M. Craig at Lancaster.—The family of K. Thompson has flu.—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Owens spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Lucy Goffe, near Plato.—Born, to the wife of W. B. Potest, a boy, Misses Ona and Gertrude Brown of the Quail section, were guests of Miss Maud Brown Saturday night and Sunday.—Maurice Thompson has returned home after a few weeks stay with his sister, Mrs. Charlie Riddle, of Indiana.—Miss Lora Stevens and Miss Katherine Denny spent Monday with the latter's sister, Mrs. Lottie DeBord.—Miss Myrtle Owens spent Monday at the home of her uncle, M. F. Craig.—Miss Dessie Hicks was the guest of Miss Grace Thompson Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cummins spent Monday night with his mother, Mrs. Mary Cummins.—Fred Lovins has returned after a few weeks visit with his aunt, at Lexington.

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## PERSONAL

Mrs. S. H. Martin continues very sick.

E. J. Ford, of Danville, was in town yesterday.

David C. Craig was down from Corbin yesterday.

Mrs. Jesse Wren, of Wildie, is very low with pneumonia.

Mrs. D. L. Bryant who was very sick last week is better.

L. H. Rucker, of Wildie, has two boys very low with pneumonia.

The children of Lewis Cooper, which were so sick last week, are better.

Mrs. Fred Baker spent a portion of the week with home-folks at Livingston.

Vernon Blackaby's baby, 18 months old, is very sick at Wildie with diphtheria.

Mrs. Harry N. Jones, of Stanford, was here Tuesday to see her mother, Mrs. S. H. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Cummins will move to Cincinnati. They had a sale last Saturday and sold off everything.

Andrew Owens was at home this week from Reading, Ohio, on account of the death of his step mother, Mrs. Bert Owens.

Aubrey Martin who has been in the army stationed in New York, as at home looking fine and dandy. He is out on a furlough.

A letter received from Jamie Thompson says that he was badly gassed in France, has been in the hospital, but is getting along alright.

Misses Margaret and Mary Jones, of Oklahoma City, arrived Wednesday for a visit with their sister, Mrs. W. B. Spivey here and their father, M. B. Jones, at Level Green.

Fred Hatcher, another Rockcastle soldier, just back from France, is here on a furlough to see his mother, who is very sick, but some better than last reported. Fred had a wound in the shoulder from a machine gun.

John Rowe is back home from France having been discharged. He brought back scars which bears evidence of his service. He was shot through the ear, close to the head. It has impaired his hearing in that ear.

Mrs. Sandidge and Mrs. C. B. McKenzie arrived this morning from Lunenburg, Va., to be with their mother, Mrs. S. H. Martin, who is very sick. Mrs. Casper Adams, of Illinois and Private Aubrey Martin, of Camp Mills, N. J., arrived early in the week.

Sherman Owens, son of Mrs. G. W. Brown has returned from France and is now at home on a furlough. Sherman was badly wounded on August 11th, when a piece of shrapnel hit him in the front shoulder and was cut out under his shoulder blade. He has been in the hospital ever since. He landed in the U. S. A. on December 18th, came to Camp Taylor two weeks ago and on last Monday was changed to convalescent department. He is looking good and says he is feeling well.

## LOCAL

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WALTER H. MILLER.

Correspondence which comes in on the late train on Thursday arrives too late for publication. Correspondents on the East side are requested to be governed accordingly.

Another child of Bev. Thomas died yesterday from the effects of flu. This makes four children Mr. Thomas has lost since October.

W. R. McClure has sold his restaurant on Main street to John Renner, who will take charge tomorrow. Mr. and Mrs. Renner will move to the rooms in the Mt. Vernon Hotel, now occupied by Mr. McClure.

A soldier letter was received this week, without any name signed to it. Such letters are consigned to the waste basket. Letters without the name of the writer would be of little if any interest to any one.

Circuit court next Monday. If you owe the Signal a dollar or two, drop it in your pocket and bring it along. We need it and will appreciate it, if you will hand it to us. The Signal man will be on the street ready, willing and anxious to take all that is coming.

Reports coming from different sections of the county indicate that the people mean to come out to attend the meeting Monday, which is called to discuss means to stop boot legging. These people are not coming out thru curiosity, but coming to assist in this great undertaking, and indications are that there will be a larger crowd in town than any court day for many years.

Sheriff Tip Langford and posse arrested Millard Arnold at his father's old home near the Pulaski county line at an early hour Tuesday morning. Arnold deserted the Army nearly a year ago and all attempts to arrest him have been futile. Arnold is considered a dangerous man and officers from Pulaski and elsewhere failed to get him even though the effort was made. Our own Tip Langford, who fears no man while in the discharge of his duty, or in any other capacity for that part, went and surrounded the house and without any demonstration took Arnold in charge, brought him to town and the next morning Deputy Sheriff W. G. Nichols arrested him.

Proctor Cox:—The marriage of Mr. Claud C. Cox, a prosperous young business man of our town, and Miss Amy Proctor, the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Proctor was solemnized yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, on Williams street. The wedding was a quiet home affair, only the relatives of the contracting parties, and a few close friends being present. Rev. H. T. Young said the words that made this splendid couple man and wife. Mr. Cox is in the hardware business and is one of our most exemplary young men. The bride is one of the most popular of her set of the young people. They left on the 4:57 train for Louisville and other points to spend their honeymoon. We join with the host of friends in congratulations and hearty good wishes for a long, happy and prosperous wedded life.

TOBACCO:—Farmers, raise tobacco and you will have a market at home. We are authorized by a number of business men of Mt. Vernon to say to the farmers of Rockcastle, that when your 1919 crop is ready, that Mt. Vernon will have a place to take care of it, will have buyers who will buy it, and above all, will guarantee you just as good prices as you would get on other markets. The difference will be in the saving to the farmer of getting his tobacco to the markets which necessitates an extra cost in the handling. Burn your tobacco beds now and be ready to sow in next month. The Bank of Mt. Vernon has ordered seed and will be glad to supply them to any one desiring to sow beds and raise tobacco. R. S. Martin, tobacco man and manufacturer for years, often spoke of Rockcastle as a tobacco county. He said the quality could be made as good as in any county in the state. Some tobacco raisers in the county have demonstrated that fact. The acreage of tobacco in Rockcastle should be doubled several times to what it has been. Farmers, when you come to court next week, talk the matter over and set your plans for a big 1919 crop in Rockcastle. There is money in it for YOU.

SALESMEN WANTED to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or Commission. Address THE HARVEY OIL CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

We have several packages of pictures we have finished and lost the name of the owner. If you have any overdue come in and look these over.  
J. FISH & SON.

CARD OF THANKS:—To the neighbors, friends and relatives who were so kind and sympathetic during our recent sad bereavement in the loss of our dear wife and mother, we extend our heartfelt thanks.  
S. S. PURCELL and CHILDREN.

The meeting at the Court House Monday at 1 p. m. will be addressed by Judge B. J. Bethurum and Commonwealth Attorney W. N. Flippin. Short addresses will be made by many citizens including ministers from different parts of the county. Arrangements have been made to furnish chairs to increase the seating capacity of the Court House. Every body is requested to be on hand promptly at one o'clock, as this will last only one hour and thirty minutes.

W. H. Fish has been made local manager for the Co-Operative Land & Development Co., a two million dollar oil concern organized one month ago by Paris, Ky., parties. This company is under same management as the Bourbon Oil & Development Co., a hundred dollars invested in the Bourbon when organized 18 months ago is now worth \$2500.00. E. J. Ford is District Sales Manager for the Co-Operative and will be here with Mr. Fish next Monday and will be glad to explain the proposition to Rockcastle people. This Co-Operative stock is now selling at 30c per share and bids fair to be worth par value of \$1.00 per share. Their holdings are on Ross Creek in Estill County and in the Big Sinking fields where the real oil flows.

FARM FOR SALE:—The Will Dean farm of 158 acres lying 4 miles west of Crab Orchard in Boone County, Ky. Good house and new barn, 40 acres grass, 20 acres timber, balance in cultivation, 2 good springs and running water thru place. Full line farming tools, 75 barrel corn in crib, 6 horses, 3 cows and some hay for sale. If you want a good place get busy and see or write L. S. Doan, Corbin, Ky.

James Maret, Mt. Vernon, W. O. McIntyre, Danville, W. H. Fish, and S. C. Franklin, Mt. Vernon, President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Assistant Secretary, respectively, of the Boone Way Association, were elected members of The Highways Association of America, at the big convention of the high ways associations of forty four states, held at Kansas City, on January 21st.

The object of the new association is to bring workers for more and better highways, in closer union, looking to the best plans for obtaining greater Federal aid in road making also, to lessen the difficulty in securing Congressional appropriations of necessary financial assistance.

Resolutions adopted at the meeting call for a well defined and connected system of highways, (including Boone Way).

The Boone Way Association had a representative at the meeting.

The meeting favored National highways to be built and maintained by the government, the management and direction to be separate from any other department.

It is predicted that the new organization, the combination of merging all road associations of the country, will be able to accomplish great things in the way of pushing good roads along, and from now on things are going to hum in that line of endeavor.

The Rockcastle County Court has been changed from the Fourth Monday to the Third Monday in each month. This change was made for the reason that the Third Monday is the day for holding the sales at the Rockcastle Stock Pens and custom has made it so, that county courts and stock sales go together. The first sale at the Rockcastle Stock Pens will be held the Third Monday in March.

## DRESS UP

The Boys are Coming Home

Meet them with a smile, dress up in a manner befitting so important an event. Home-coming demands holiday regalia, the finest clothes you can obtain. Put up the front that will make them feel the sincerity of your welcome. Dress Up.

The boys are coming home, back to the home folks and the old jobs. We've prepared for their coming with the kind of civilian clothes they will want. And we provided for you, too. A real home-coming style exhibit. Don't fail to see our new spring suits and other good things to wear.

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Very truly yours,  
H P COFFEE COMPANY.

If you have any war relics sent or brought home from overseas by our boys, bring them in to Fish's for display.

The Supervisors of Tax for 1919, appointed by Judge Cam Mullins, who will meet next week, are E. Bullock, W. T. French, C. C. Jones, Napoleon Whitaker and W. H. Morris.

Jesse Malone, the man who installed the Mt. Vernon Power Co., and who was reported lost at sea a few weeks ago, writes Miss Marguerite Welch that he is very much alive and getting along fine. He is in France.

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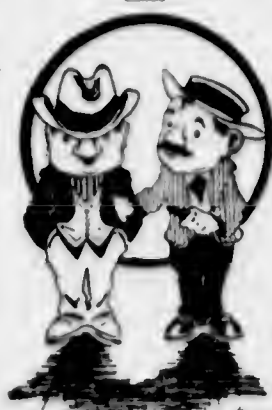
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